REMARKS

The foregoing amendments have been made to correct an obvious error and/or to employ more appropriate terminology. None of the amendments limit the claims as previously presented.

The rejection of Claims 1-11 on grounds of obviousness-type double patenting is overcome by the attached Terminal Disclaimer.

Accordingly, early allowance of the application is earnestly solicited.

If there are any questions regarding this amendment or the application in general, a telephone call to the undersigned would be appreciated since this should expedite the prosecution of the application for all concerned.

If necessary to effect a timely response, this paper should be considered as a petition for an Extension of Time sufficient to effect a timely response, and please charge any deficiency in fees or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 05-1323 (Docket #056203.49700C2).

Respectfully submitted,

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